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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **IDENTIFICATION OF DIFFERENTIALLY METHYLATED MULTIPLE DRUG RESISTANCE LOCI**, the specification of which was filed on November 18, 1999, as U.S. Application Serial No. 09/441,857.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

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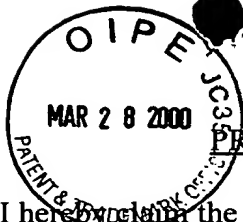
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COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	DATE OF ISSUE (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119
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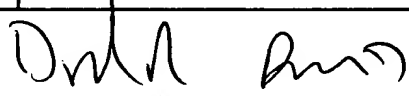
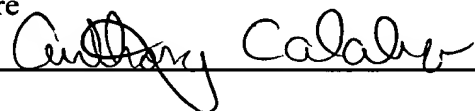
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